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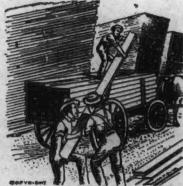
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PROVINCIAL NOTES

The Olds fair will be held on September 14th and 15th. Parties wishing to attend, kindly bear in mind the date.

Holmeden has arranged to erect a tent and have an exhibit at the Edmonton exhibition. Grain, vegetables, etc., grown in that district will be shown and someone will be on hand to give information regarding the district.

The Free Press Crop Reporter, when in Holmeden, remarked on the scarcity of timothy and other cultivated grasses when he was there on the week of the 15th, August.

The Edmonton Capital of August 20th, have published a Panoramic view of a portion of the exhibition grounds, showing the race track, stock stables, and the enclosure, where the stock judging will be held.

The mayor of Edmonton, Mr Robert Lee, announced, Thursday, August 25th, a civic holiday in the city of Edmonton, and all citizens were requested to observe the same.

With reference to the denial from Sir Wilfred Laurier, published in Edmonton, that the bonds of the Hudson's Bay Pacific Railway and the Hudson's Bay Company were being

guaranteed by the Canadian Government, the secretary of the company now states that the circulars announcing that the bonds had been guaranteed was not authorized by the board.

John Gunn, of the firm of John Gunn & Sons, who have the contract for the substructure of the high level bridge, is a guest at the Alberta Hotel, Edmonton,

Estelle Taylor, the two year old daughter of Fred Taylor disappeared from her home, six miles southeast of Milestone, Sask., on Friday morning, August 19th. About 200 people searched for her, but up to midnight, they had found no trace.

The new street railway extensions of which a by-lay will be voted upon by the people of Calgary, on September 15th, will more than double the existing tracks. Whereas there are now only 16 1/2 miles of double and single tracks, the extensions call for another 22 miles of double and single track. This will therefore bring the total length of street railway in the city to 38 1/2 miles.

General Sir Robert Stephenson arrived in Calgary on Sunday last on the 2 o'clock train from the coast. He spent the remainder of the day there, and in the vicinity, and slipped quietly away again on the midnight train for Edmonton.

A J McArthur, of Crescent Heights, will probably be the choice of the Liberals, of Gleichen, as their representative in the coming by-election.

An Agricultural Society and institute meeting was held at Stoney Plain on Saturday afternoon Aug.

ust 13th, when the society formally organized.

The Stoney Plain Advertiser gives a lengthy write-up on the visit of Sir Wilfred Laurier to Edmonton.

Hon. Frank Oliver says that Sir Wilfred Laurier is the optimist statesman of Canada. Sir Wilfred could not make a trip through Western Canada without becoming such. Sir Wilfred says, however that before coming west he was an optimistic statesman, but now he is an enthusiastic statesman. He has caught some-what of the western fever.

About a week ago, on instructions received from Mr R. B. Chadwick, of Edmonton, superintendent of dependent and neglected children for the province, Sergeant Thomas, of the R. N. W. M. P., proceeded to the home of Mr. Robert Sallenbach, a farmer of Brant district, and took possession of six children, ranging from four to fourteen years of age. He returned the same day and took the children to the Children's shelter in Calgary where they will remain temporarily. This action was taken on account of various complaints having been received as to the cruelty of Mr. Sallenbach to his family and also after careful investigation on the part of Sergeant

badly the government has decided to extend the time of the homesteaders and help both them and the railroads out.

The exact wording of the wire received by J. R. Sutherland, Dominion Lands Agent at Calgary is as follows:

Ottawa, August 5th.

"It has been arranged that, owing to the demand for railway labor, protection will be granted to homestead and pre-emption entrants until April 1st next, on application to land agent, and on his being satisfied that entry has been perfected.

(Signed) J. W. GREENAWAY.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders will be received by the Undersigned, up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, Aug. 31st, 1910, for the erection of a stone school building for the Crossfield School District No. 752, Crossfield, Alberta. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen by applying to Geo. W. Boyce, Sec-Treas. Crossfield, Alta.

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3.20 Olds	6.00
3.40 Bowden	5.36
4.06 Innisfail	5.16
4.50 Ar. 1. Bed Deer	5.16
5.00 Ar. 1. Lacombe	4.30
5.45 Ponoka	3.47
6.20	3.00
7.00 Wataskiwin	2.24
7.19 Millar	2.03
7.40 Lake	1.88
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R. C. Sec.

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L. C. NEWSOM,
EDITOR.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 1910.

The West is Mutinous.

Federal Premier finds that it does not
bow down and worship him

Ottawa, August 19.—All accounts bear
out the impression that Sir Wilfrid
Laurier's reception in the West has been
of a character to arouse in him lively
apprehensions as to the future. It is not
likely that the Premier cares very much
about the actual exposure of his trickery
on the tariff issue; he is a hardened sin-
ner in the master of promising anything
to any body and everything to everybody,
and a little matter like being caught has
ceased to embarrass him. What really
matters is the fact the electorate has ces-
sed to trust him respectfully; that it has
broken loose from control.

For a good many years Sir Wilfrid
Laurier has been treated with great
adulation. His political opponents have
treated him with a politeness which the
Liberals never showed to Sir John Mac-
donald; his followers bowed to the earth
before him. When he undertook the
Western tour the most careful prepara-
tions were made to ensure him the clam-
orous reception to which he has grown
accustomed. But the plans went wrong.

The Western, particularly the Western
Liberals of the older school, refused
to treat him with veneration and instead
met him with a blunt charge of having
betrayed his party's policy. Time and
again he was informed in plain English
and in the straightest way that he had
broken his promise. He was openly
told that the Westerners did not believe
his promises about the Hudson Bay Rail-
way because they had seen so many of
his promises broken. The Platform of
1893 was shaken under his nose by old
Liberals—that was the part that hurt—
and it was asked why he had failed to
carry it out.

One incident is typical. Let the Ne-
pawa Register Speak: Twelve farmers,
all members of the party led by Laurier,
spoke in turn, each dealing with a dif-
ferent topic and denouncing the Premier
for betrayal of the promises upon which
they had supported him and urged his
return to power: they showed him
where he failed in the greatest chance
ever placed in the hands of a Canadian
to make history that would redound to
his credit. The event was the turning
point in Canadian politics in more than
one respect. It indicated that not even
such means as held the west for Laurier
heretofore can hold it again; perhaps it
indicated even more—that the day of
mealy-mouthed kowtowing to power un-
scrupulously obtained is past.

It all means that the West has turned
against Laurier.

Some July contrasts.

On the milk record sheets receiv-
ed at the Dairy Division, Ottawa

from members of cow testing associa-
tions there are found some good

yields of milk and butter fat for
July: for instance, in the Bertie,
Ont., association one cow that fresh-
ened in May gave 1320 pounds of

milk, testing 40 per cent of fat,
equal to 52.8 pounds of fat. One

herd of 17 cows at Glenworth, Ont.,
has an average of 926 pounds of

milk, the herd including 5 two year
olds. Some cows in this herd have

given 4840 pounds of milk in 4
months. At Cassel Ont. 183 cows
average 885 pounds of milk, 3.6
test, 28.3 pounds of fat.

The records of many individual

cows in these and other associations

show a yield of barely 650 pounds

of milk and 22 pounds of fat, or

less than half of many good yields.

Dairy farmers, it is not difficult

for you to make three very simple

deductions from these remarkable

contrasts: First: there are plenty

of cows still being kept for milk

production that are not worthy the

name of Dairy cows. Second: scores

of dairy farmers are getting excel-
lent records from selected herds.

Third: records alone do not increase

the yield of milk and butter, there

must be intelligent selection of good

cows based on the lessons that in-

last display records teach.

Upon the following

Angel Of The Crimea Buried

London, Aug. 22.—Florence Nightingale,
the famous nurse of the Crimea, who

died Aug. 13, at her London home, was
buried Saturday afternoon beside the

body of her father and mother in the
church yard of the little village of East

Willow. In accordance with her ex-
pression with a simple, private funeral,

the ceremony was of the quietest

nature, the only reminder of her great

services to the army and nation being

the presence of a squad of the Grenadiers

Guard, who acted as bearers. Outside

of these, only members of the immediate

family and a few retainers were present

at the funeral.

Public tribute to the "Angel of the
Crimes" was paid at a memorial service

at noon at St. Paul's Cathedral here, at
which King George, Queen May, the

Queen Mother, the war of fine and ad-
miralty, and the greater part of the British

public bodies and colonies were repre-
sented. The Cathedral was crowded with

the official representatives and thousands

of private persons who had come to do
honor to the dead nurse were unable to

find places inside the church, and stood

outside during the ceremony.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Potatoes, new, per lb.	1.2-3c.
Wheat, No. 1, red, bus.	80c.
Wheat, No. 2, per cwt.	83c.
Wheat, No. 3, " "	70c.
Wheat, No. 4, " "	68c.
Wheat, No. 5, " "	66c.
Flour, " "	1.50c.
Oats, " "	34c.
Barley, " "	38c.
Eggs, " "	25c.
Butter, " lb. to 18c.	
Hogs, live weight	\$7.00
Hogs, dressed	\$9.50
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Cows, live weight	lb. 3 to 3½c.
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Dressed Veal	6c.

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Notice is hereby given that the Grand
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this day deposited in the Offices of the
Registrar of Titles for the South
Alberta Land Registration District, plan
profile and book of reference, showing
the location of its Tofield-Calgary Branch
from Section 21, Township 20, Range 24,
West 4th Meridian, to Section 1, Township
23, Range 1, West 6th Meridian,
District of south Alberta, Province of
Alberta, miles 150 to mile 198 and the
lands required for its right of way,
station grounds and other railway pur-
poses for said distance.

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1910.

D'ARCY TATE,
Solicitor
Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines
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Transient Advertisements

Wanted

At the office of publication of this periodical the following—advertisements, subscriptions, job work, and news items.

For Rent

Grain Land for rent. For information address the Chronicle. 27-4-x

For Sale

For Sale—One good heavy work horse (gelding) 8 years old. Apply to 30-6-x H. S. Bliss, Crossfield

7 head of horses, five of them good work horses, 1 two year old gelding, 1 sucking colt.

T. G. Mandt wagon, rolled steel axle, good as new. Disc and other implements. Also a quantity of rails and posts.

For sale cheap for cash, or will arrange terms.

F. S. Goesch, 29-4-x See, 10-29-2 W. 5th Near Banner School

FOR SALE

Good single buggy harness for sale, see Timis & Atkins, Crossfield. 33-2-x

FOR SALE

No. 1 Seed Wheat, Alberta Red, \$1.00 per bushel at ranch 3½ miles straight west Crossfield. 32-2-x

T. VanDilender

Brands

All cattle branded A 1 on right ribs belong to John T. Johnson, Crossfield. 31-2-x 15-29-1 W 5

James Robertson, Crossfield. Cattle branded on left ribs. Aug. 14

All cattle branded on right ribs and also marked on left ribs. 15-29-1 W 5 belonging to Jas. Fowler, Crossfield. 5-2-x

Foster Morgan, do, if confronted with the would say or do, if confronted with the cold-blooded facts already collated. Up, stand, man up and stand up

Strayed

Strayed a chance to make money from my hands last week. I did not use the Chronicle columns. Finder please return to Merchant Mossback, Nobusine Corners.

Lost

An opportunity to make money if you do not advertise in our columns.

LOST—Black water spaniel, of full breed, short hair, white breast, small white speck on end of nose. Answers to the name of "Nipper." Return to Agent C. P. R. at Crossfield

Found

A paying advertising medium in The Crossfield Chronicle. Through its columns you can sell your goods, find stray cattle and you have no worry.

ESTRAY

On the premises of Jno. Lennon, on Section 25-28-2-5, 5 miles west of Crossfield, since July 1910, 1 team of dark grey mares, 3 years old, no brands visible, weight about 800 lbs. small breed. 516np

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Biologic Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February 4, 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council 5-524 P. J. McAnalley, Chairman.

Public Notice

This is to notify the owners of cows within the village that if the said cows are not kept closed up at night, to prevent them from becoming a nuisance, the council will be obliged to enforce the Pound law.

By Order of Village Council Chas. Hultgren, Sec-Treas.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr Smith gave a very instructive and profitable sermon on Sunday.

Mr T D Thomas was away on Sunday.

The farmers are busy cutting "fall wheat."

Comfortable rooms to rent.—Apply to Mrs. Cowgill, above Post Office.

Mrs Downs played the organ on Sunday afternoon, in the Methodist church.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs Bliss, Donnie, and Gladys' being poorly.

Mrs. Captain Wigle has been very poorly, but is able to be around again.

Miss Nina Wilson was visiting at the home of Mr Robert Colling for a few days.

Geo. W. Boyce has moved into his new office next door north of the printing shop.

—Money to loan on improved farms, no commission, no delay, you get the money in a few days. See Hultgren & Davis.

A. R. Kirkwood, accountant in the Bank of Commerce at Hardisty, Alta., is renewing old acquaintances in our town, Crossfield.

Wanted—to buy a good milch cow. Send description and price to the Washington Alberta Land Co., Crossfield. a26P

Notice is hereby given that all

ads for change must reach this office not later than Wednesday noon, to insure insertion in the same week's issue.—Ed.

Several head of good fresh milk cows for sale; also some calves and yearlings. Apply at the Chronicle office.

The Methodist ladies aid met on August 3rd at the home of Mr. Marston. The ladies had a splendid time. The aid will meet again on September 7th, at the home of Mrs. Lynn's.

Farmers get your buildings insured in the Wawanesa Mutual Fire Insurance Co. It is both economical and safe. \$1.10 per hundred for three years. Hultgren & Davis, Agents.

A. Sweitzer who has just returned from across the Red Deer, east of here, states that crops out that way are not looking very good. He also says that the trains are coming from Stettler to Fox Coulee, at least three times per week. Just a few days ago a rain and hail storm visited that part of the country, which will most likely bring the crops to the front.

A. E. Harvie, Mrs. Harvie, and children, and Mr John Drew, all of Chicago, arrived in our thriving town of Crossfield, on Thursday morning train, and are the guests of Mr D. G. Harvie, our "tall" F. H. Motherrall of Plattsville, Ontario, is also visiting at his place. They all report that this part of the country is the best they have seen as yet. We can only hope they will always think as such.

J. H. Malyea was a visitor to Crossfield on Monday last.

If good meat is what you want, we sure have it. Timis & Atkins.

The new school teacher, Miss Nimmon of Lethbridge, arrived in town Saturday last.

Rancher Louis left our midst for his ranch near the dog pound on Monday last.

Lou Byer and wife were visitors to E. W. White at Carstairs on Sunday last.

Mr. Luckie, a well known resident of Crossfield, we are sorry to relate left us on Monday's train.

J. A. Patten and son Walter, of Regina, are visiting with D. D. Wigle and family for a few days.

Hurrah! for Crossfield, this is the place where they all come to. Why? Because there is none better.

John A. MacDougal has sold his farm, the South East quarter of Section 28-28-1-5, to John S. Davie, the Real Estate man.

Mrs. C. M. S. Thomas and daughter Edith, of Amherstburg, Ont., are spending a couple of months with Merrick Thomas.

Harry Siobold of Didsbury and Mr Wait of Plattsville, Ont., were visitors to Dave Harvie's of Crossfield on Sunday last.

Mrs. Byer is visiting at Pincher Creek. She is paying a visit to one of her brother's whom she has not seen for 28 years.

Don't forget to attend the dance

tonight to be held in G. new barn, about one mile east of here.

If you have any friends or relatives either visiting or leaving, kindly drop into the Chronicle Office and let us know about it. All local happenings of interest will be published free of charge.

Who says Crossfield is not on the map? Only some one who is a kicker and has a grudge against the town. Never worry chap, you will see your wrong doings in that sweet, sweet, bye and bye.

For Labor Day, September 5th, 1910, the Canadian Pacific Railway will authorize a rate of fare and one third for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale, September 2 to 5, final return limit, September 7, 1910. For full particulars apply to nearest Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent.

Clarence Harris, who was in town on Saturday night last, tied his team up on Railway street until he would be going home again that evening. When he went to get the team about eleven o'clock, they were no where to be found. Through some mysterious way they must have broken loose or been untied. By luck they were found that same evening, out west, near George Ramsay's farm.

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All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec-Treas. is in the real estate office next the Chronicle

P. J. McAnalley, Chairman.

G. W. Boyce, Sec-Treas.

Death the Fate of the Bubble-Riders

Fate of the World's First Aeronaut. Man is master of the heavens, as well as of the earth and sea. Not only can he bring down the stars from the sky with his telescope, but he can now lift himself to the stars, but his soul went higher than those heavenly orbs when his body came down too fast.

Hero thus exalted over man's master of the heavens was the world's greatest aeronaut. The time was the early part of a quarter ago, and Paris was the place.

The haze of the French Revolution's dawn was commencing to show its crimson streaks, and the world was abounding with awful happenings. The great Dr. Franklin, in his gray homespun, had recently gone out into the broad green fields of France to the south to watch man's first experiments with "hollow globes" filled with "inflammable air," but not yet shaped big enough to carry human beings. He was marveled to hear that a man-carrying air-globe of this kind was soon to be completed, and he wrote to Sir Joseph Banks:

"A philosopher here, M. Pilatre de Rozier, has seriously applied to the Academy for leave to go up with it in order to make some experiments. He was to be granted an interval and coverage for the promotion of science, but advised to wait till the management of those balls was made by experiment more perfect."

But Pilatre de Rozier, this daring young philosopher, had only a few weeks to wait until, of a sudden, there came in the night a Chateau de la Muette paper domes several feet high by forty-eight feet wide, and hanging at its base a gallery of wickerwork. Chopped straw burned in a basket below, and the wickerwork gave off smoke. A mortar boomed the signal that the monster was about to ascend and announced the approach of the multitude. M. Pilatre de Rozier, half in awe and half in glee, taking with him the Marquis d'Arlandes, also, nerves for the balloon journey enjoyed by man. That after a few moments of delay for repairs, they rose majestically into the overcast sky, taking on their hats as they perched down upon a throng dazed and awed by mingled emotions of terror and admiration.

Rising nearly a mile, they crossed the Seine and floated into the view of all Paris, and the crowd below, gazing proudly over the city, cast their eyes and in terror beheld a jagged, fiery line that was warming its way around the base of the balloon and threatening to set the ring which held their support.

"We're lost, lost!" shouted the terrified men. "We must either jump to our death or burn alive!"

And he started to climb over the edge of the basket, the planch de Boulard restraining him with hand and foot, while the other extinguished the fire. Then they were able to cross Paris and gently descend upon the soft soil of the suburbs.

Dr. Rozier, thus become the hero of the hour, now made his boast about soaring to the very stars of the heavens, and death had mapped out a different voyage for the ambitious young Parisian. In the jagged, fiery line that was warming its way around the base of the balloon and threatening to raise him heavenward was written a warning which he did not read.

His successful flight with the frightened men set the world balloon mad. Even as far away as Philadelphia flights were attempted, but the most daring voyages of all were made by another in trepid Frenchman, Jean Pierre Blanchard, who ascended from the cliffs of Dover, in England, and, after doffing parts of his clothes to keep afloat, landed in France.

The ambitions de Rozier was set on fire by this adventure, the chief success of which was the see. Not to be abandoned by his brother Frenchman, he announced that he would return the latter's compliment by crossing the Channel from France to England. This he explained to the admiring Parisians would be a greater achievement than Blanchard's, on account of the difficulty which the world would have to conquer.

So, upon a fair June day in 1785, he set out from Boulogne upon a voyage across seas, accompanied by a new companion, the see. It was a strange ship in which they were to ride the clouds—the oddest aerial craft, indeed, that the world had yet seen. It was a King's balloon, a little fire balloon, with a car hanging to the latter. Men of science shrank their heads and protested to the aeronaut that the combination was bound to burst under a powder magazine, but Pilatre de Rozier shrugged his shoulders.

"My body comes down too fast, my soul goes up too high," said the sage, was given to cut the ropes.

All Boulogne craned its neck and stood agape as the thing careered its human load into the upper atmosphere sky. They arose rapidly, and for a while seemed to be moving gently toward England. Then there came a sudden gust of wind, and the car dashed them back over France, and M. de Rozier could be seen plying his Brazier with more fuel in order to rise still higher, and catch a current of air. But when they reached about three thousand feet the thousands of spectators cried out with horror to see the sage drop.

The horribly mangled bodies of de Rozier and Romain were picked up near the seashore, about four miles from Boulogne and within a few rods of the monument which marks the triumphal

descent of Blanchard after his successful crossing of the Channel.

Such was the irony of the fate which pursued the first aeronaut, and the bubble-rider to challenge the forces of King Aeolus. He would have lifted himself to the stars, but his soul went higher than those heavenly orbs when his body came down too fast.

Zambecari's Steed of Fire
So, riding on wind-bags, shall men scale the empyrean partly.

A noted aeronaut, this passing across a broad mat of soft pasture bordering upon a crystal lake that shimmered silver against the green of all the world below, the aeronaut had come to the forest or the lake, the count selected the pasture land between, and when he had floated above it threw out his anchor.

His aim was good. He caught a tree on the very verge of the wood. Now it would be an easy matter to run out the line and bring his ship gently to earth. But at the moment he became entangled in his hawser. The balloon received a sudden jerk that upset the basket, and at once a great swaying enveloped all, caught up the two terror-stricken aeronauts, jumped, it was a dive of fifty feet. It made the senior a cripple, and the count it killed.

First Tragedy of the Air

When greater perils men environ, Then women show a front of iron; And, girls, in their material ways Do hold that in a quiet way.

—English.

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And so the balloon, a long, low, with other aeronauts, foremost among them the lion-hearted Count Zambecari, whose proper flight had been made by M. Blanchard, ascended in a luminous balloon, ornamented with fireworks.

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Transient Advertisements

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At the office of publication of this periodical the following:—advertisements, subscriptions, job work and news items.

For Rent

Grain Land for rent. For information address the Chronicle. 27-4-x

For Sale

For Sale—One good heavy work horse (gelding) 8 years old. Apply to 30-6-x H. S. Bliss, Crossfield

7 head of horses, five of them good work horses, 1 two year old gelding, 1 sucking colt.

T. G. Mandt wagon, rolled steel axle, good as new. Disc and other implements. Also a quantity of rails and posts.

For sale cheap for cash, or will arrange terms.

F. S. Gooch, Sec. 10-29-2 W. 5th: 29-4-x Near Banner School

FOR SALE

Good single buggy harness for sale, see Tim & Atkins, Crossfield. 33-2-x

FOR SALE

No. 1 Seed Wheat, Alberta Red, \$1.00 per bushel at ranch 5½ miles straight west Crossfield. 32-2-x

T. VanDellinder

Brands

All-cattle branded A on right ribs belong to John T. Johnson, Crossfield. 31-2-x 15-29-1 W 5

James Robertson, Crossfield. Cattle branded A on left ribs. Aug. 14

All cattle branded on right ribs, and also marked on left ribs. 5-20-x belong to Jas. Fowler, Crossfield, Alta.

Up and down and up and down he

Strayed

Strayed a chance to make money from my hands last week. I did not use the Chronicle columns. Finder please return to Merchant Mossback, Nobusness Corners.

Lost

An opportunity to make money if you do not advertise in our columns.

LOST—Black water spaniel, of full breed, short hair, white breast, small white speck on end of nose. Answers to the name of "Nipper." Return to Agent C. P. R. at Crossfield.

Found

A paying advertising medium in The Crossfield Chronicle. Through its columns you can sell your goods, find stray cattle and you have no worry.

ESTRAY

On the premises of Jno. Lennon, on Section 25-28-2-5, 5 miles west of Crossfield, since June 1910. I team of dark grey mares, 3 years old, no brands visible, weight about 800 lbs. small breed. 516p

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Bishops Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February 4 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council 5-52-4 P. I. McAnally, Chairman.

Public Notice

This is to notify the owners of cows within the village that if the said cows are not kept closed up at night, to prevent them from becoming a nuisance, the council will be obliged to enforce the Pound law.

By Order of Village Council Chas. Hultgren, Sec.-Treas.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr Smith gave a very instructive and profitable sermon on Sunday.

Mr T. D. Thomas was away on Sunday.

The farmers are busy cutting "fall wheat."

Comfortable rooms to rent.—Apply to Mrs. Cowgill, above Post Office.

Mrs Downs played the organ on Sunday afternoon, in the Methodist church.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Bliss, Donnie, and Gladys' being poorly.

Mrs. Captain Wigle has been very poorly, but is able to be around again.

Miss Nina Wilson was visiting at the home of Mr. Robert Colling for a few days.

Geo. W. Boyce has moved into his new office next door north of the printing shop.

—Money to loan on improved farms, no commission, no delay, get you the money in a few days. See Hultgren & Dave.

A. R. Kirkwood, accountant in the Bank of Commerce at Hardisty, Alta., is renewing old acquaintances in our town, Crossfield.

Wanted—To buy a good milch cow. Send description and price to the Washington Alberta Land Co., Crossfield. a26p

Notice is hereby given that all

ads for change must reach this office not later than Wednesday noon, to insure insertion in the same week's issue.—Ed.

Several head of good fresh milk cows for sale; also some calves and yearlings. Apply at the Chronicle office.

The Methodist ladies aid met on August 3rd at the home of Mr. Marston. The ladies had a splendid time. The aid will meet again on September 7th, at the home of Mrs. Lynn's.

Farmers get your buildings insured in the Wawanesa Mutual Fire Insurance Co. It is both economical and safe. \$1.10 per hundred for three years. Hultgren & Dave, Agents.

A. Schweitzer who has just returned from across the Red Deer, east of here, states that crops out that way are not looking very good. He also says that the trains are coming from Stettler to Fox Coulee, at least

three times per week. Just a few days ago a rain and hail storm visited that part of the country, which will most likely bring the crops to the front.

A. E. Harvie, Mrs. Harvie, and children, and Mr. John Drew, all of Chicago, arrived in our thriving town of Crossfield, on Thursday morning train, and are the guests of Mr. D. G. Harvie, our "stalldy" F. H. Metherall of Plattsville, Ontario, is also visiting at his place. They all report that this part of the country is the best they have seen as yet. We can only hope they will always think as such.

J. H. Malyea was a visitor to Crossfield on Monday last.

If good meat is what you want, we sure have it. Tim & Atkins.

The new school teacher, Miss Nimmion of Lethbridge, arrived in town Saturday last.

Rancher Louis left our midst for his ranch near the dog pound on Monday last.

Lou Byer and wife were visitors to E. W. White at Carstairs on Sunday last.

Mr. Lackie, a well known resident of Crossfield, we are sorry to relate left us on Monday's train.

J. A. Patten and son Walter, of Regina, are visiting with D. D. Wigle and family for a few days.

Hurrah! for Crossfield, this is the place where they all come to. Why? Because there is none better.

John A. MacDougal has sold his farm, the South East quarter of Section 28-28-1-5, to John S. Davis, the Real Estate man.

Mrs. C. M. S. Thomas and daughter Edith, of Amherstburg, Ont., are spending a couple of months with Merrick Thomas.

Harry Siebold of Didsbury and Mr. Wait of Plattsville, Ont., were visitors to Dave Harvie's of Crossfield on Sunday last.

Mrs. Byer is visiting at Pincher Creek. She is paying a visit to one of her brother's whom she has not seen for 28 years.

Don't forget to attend the dance

tonight to be held in G. H. new barn, about one mile east of here.

If you have any friends or relatives either visiting or leaving, kindly drop into the Chronicle Office and let us know about it. All local happenings of interest will be published free of charge.

Who says Crossfield is not on the map? Only some one who is a kicker and has a grudge against the town. Never worry old chap, you will see your wrong doings in that sweet, sweet, bye and bye.

For Labor Day, September 5th, 1910, the Canadian Pacific Railway will authorize a rate of fare and one third for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale, September 2 to 5, final return limit, September 7, 1910. For full particulars apply to nearest Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent.

Clarence Harris, who was in town on Saturday night last, tied his team up on Railway street until he would be going home again that evening. When he went to get the team about eleven o'clock, they were no where to be found. Through some mysterious way they must have broken loose or been untied. By luck they were found that same evening, out west, near George Ramsay's farm.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The Regular Meeting of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November.

All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate office next the Coronicle P. I. McAnally, Chairman. G. W. Boyce, Sec.-Treas.

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